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In re Application of:	)	Confirmation No.: 8201
Pascal Patrick Steiner, et al.	)	Docket No.: DN2002188P01
For: PNEUMATIC TIRE HAVING A	)	Art Unit: 1713
COMPONENT CONTAINING HIGH TRANS	)	Examiner: Peter D. Mulcahy
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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Dear Sir:

In response to the Examiner's Official Action dated July 7, 2004, no paper number given, please make the following amendments in order to more particularly point out and distinctly claim the Applicants' invention.